IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMA. K OFFICE

In re the application of:

DE FLORA, et al.

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PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION ENABLING TO INHIBIT CANCI

METASTASIS FORMATION CONTAINING N-ACETYL-CYSTEINE AND

DOXORUBICIN

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

February 4, 2000

Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated August 4, 1999, for three (3) months from November 4, 1999 to February 4, 2000.

Enclosed please find a check in the amount of Eight Hundred Seventy Dollars (\$870.00) to cover the cost of the extension. In the event that any additional fees are required with respect to this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

Respectfully submitted,

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